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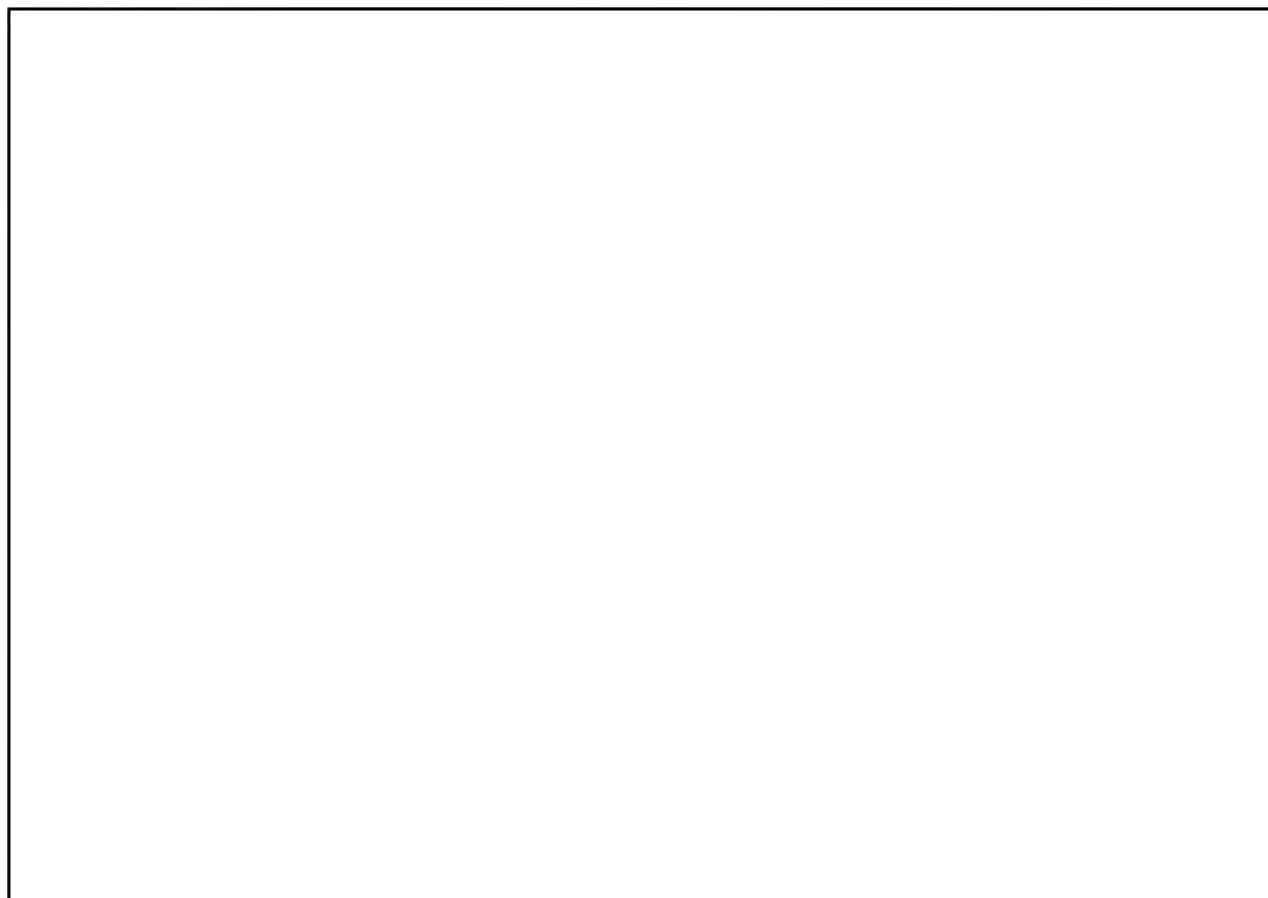
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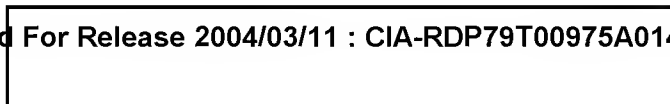
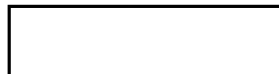
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NOTES

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UN - MIDDLE EAST: GENERAL ODD BULL, CHIEF OF STAFF OF THE UN TRUCE SUPERVISION ORGANIZATION, WILL REPORTEDLY RECOMMEND TO UN HEADQUARTERS THIS WEEK THE CLOSING OF TEN OBSERVER POSTS ALONG THE SUEZ CANAL, [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] TWO OF THE 18 POSTS WERE CLOSED EARLIER THIS SUMMER, AND THE PROPOSED ACTION WOULD LEAVE ONLY THREE ON EACH SIDE OF THE 104-MILE CANAL. BULL IS SAID TO BE CONCERNED THAT THE LACK OF A CEASE-FIRE ALONG THE CANAL MAKES HIS ORGANIZATION APPEAR "FOOLISH AND INEFFECTUAL." [REDACTED]

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